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**FIFTH SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby make of record the patents and publications listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449, and other information contained herein, for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. Copies of the patents and publications are enclosed.

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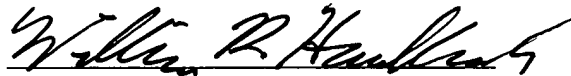
It is respectfully requested that each of the patents and publications listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, and other information contained herein, be made of record in this application.

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	A180	4,558,462	12/10/1985	Horiba <i>et al.</i>	382	42	08/31/1983		
	A181	4,515,165	05/07/1985	Carroll	128	664	09/15/1981		
	A182	4,641,352	02/03/1987	Fenster <i>et al.</i>	382	6	07/12/1984		
	A183	5,643,175	07/01/1997	Adair	600	133	02/05/1996		
	A184	6,083,487	07/04/2000	Biel <i>et al.</i>	424	9.6	08/25/1998		
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<b>FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS</b>									
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	B19	WO 00/57361	09/28/2000	PCT			3/17/00	N	Y
<b>OTHER ART, JOURNAL ARTICLES, ETC.</b>									
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	C23	European Search Report for Pending European Patent No. 02 01 9837, January 14, 2004, 4 pgs.							
	C24	Noble et al., "Automated, Nonrigid Alignment of Clinical Myocardial Contrast Echocardiography Image Sequences: Comparison with Manual Alignment," <u>Ultrasound in Medicine and Biology</u> , Vol. 28, No. 1 (2002), pp. 115-123.							
	C25	Ko et al., "Multiresolution Registration of Coronary Artery Image Sequences," <u>Internal Journal of Medical Informatics</u> , Vol. 44 (1997), pp. 93-104.							
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